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REAPPORTIONMENT BILL

Charles V. Stanton

Oregon voters at the November 4 election will be called upon to vote on an initiative measure, a constitutional amendment, for reapportionment of the Legislature.

The Oregon Constitution now provides that the Legislature shall be reapportioned every 10 years, following the federal census. The last reapportionment was made in 1910. At each session the matter of reapportionment is argued, but the Legislature seems to achieve nothing but an argument. At the last session the Legislature received eight separate proposals for apportionment. None met approval. The sole accomplishment was the appointment of an interim committee which, unless the proposed amendment is adopted, is expected to submit a report and recommendation. With increasing pressure for reapportionment, it is quite possible the Legislature would adopt the program submitted by the interim committee. The committee gave indication at hearings that it was favorable toward the "federal" plan.

The Constitution now provides for a reapportionment every 10 years, based on "white" population. The proposed amendment would eliminate the word "white." The existing law has no provision to force the Legislature to reapportion itself. Consequently we haven't had a reapportionment for more than 40 years. The proposed new law would provide that the Legislature work out its own reapportionment program after 1960. If, however, it failed to act, the duty would be imposed upon the Secretary of State. The Supreme Court is made the final authority and is authorized, upon petition by any qualified elector, to review any reapportionment by either the Legislature or secretary of state to ascertain that it complies with the formula.

Major Fractions Plan Proposed

The formula set forth in the proposed amendment would prevail until after the 1960 census. It would base representation in the lower house on population units of 25,000 and Senate seats upon a basis of 50,000 population. It compromises with a straight population apportionment, however, in that it sets up a plan of "major fractions," whereby an area having less population than base units would be entitled to a representative or senator if population was more than one-half the base figure.

Douglas County's delegation would remain unchanged under the proposed plan.

Eastern Oregon counties would lose three representatives, retaining 13 out of 16. They are entitled to 10 under a straight population distribution. The eastern part of the state would lose two senators, retaining six. It is entitled to but five on population only. Multnomah county would gain two and one-half representatives in the House. Lane County two and Washington one. In the Senate, Klamath, Polk, Clackamas, Benton, Lake, Jefferson, Deschutes, Crook, Multnomah, Columbia and Lane receive additional representation. No county loses a full senator, but some will share representation.

Other Plans Considered

Much sentiment exists for the federal plan of reapportionment, whereby the House would be organized by population and the Senate by area.

There also is objection to the amendment on the grounds that it increases representation from metropolitan centers to the detriment of rural areas.

Some opponents believe voters should await the report of the interim committee. "Give the Legislature another chance," they say.

But proponents contend the Legislature never will solve the issue. "Politicians don't vote themselves out of office," they contend.

One group of opponents believes the Legislature should adopt a law similar to that in some other states where reapportionment is handled by a commission or special board composed of state officers or appointees.

The issue before the voters appears to be whether the people will take the matter into their own hands and set up a reapportionment program of a compromise nature or leave it to the Legislature to do something about it, considering that the Legislature has done nothing about changing its apportionment for more than 40 years.



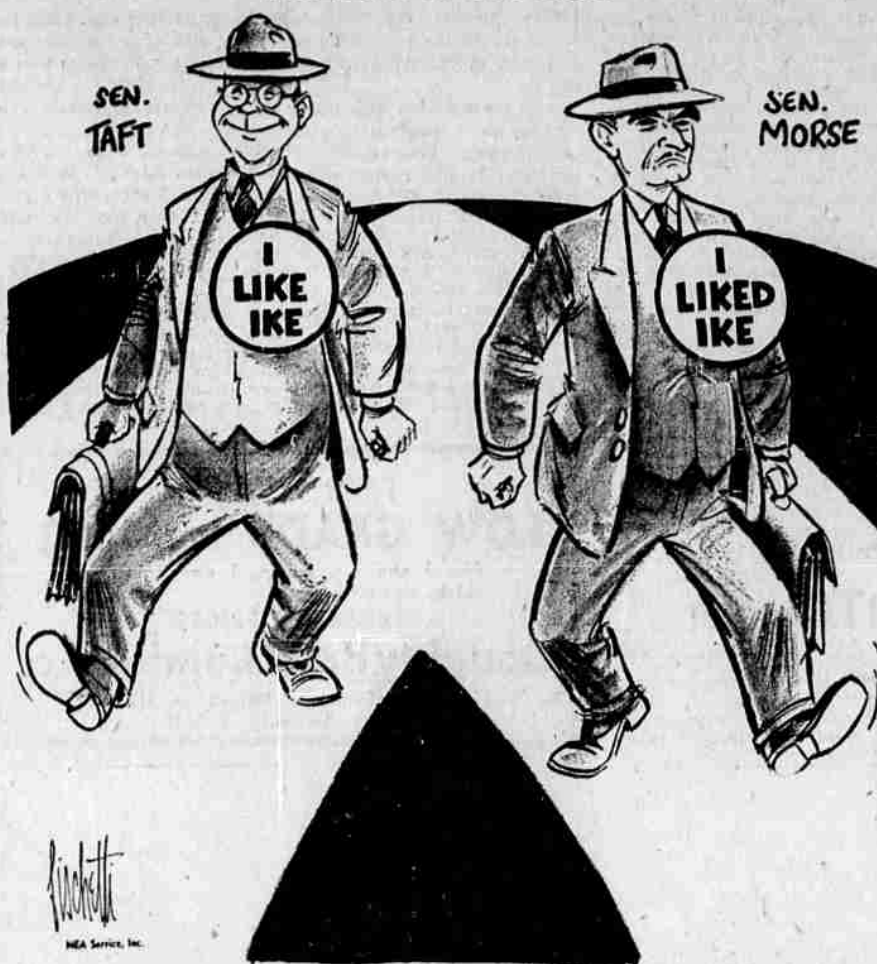
Come November, San Francisco and Copenhagen will be only 5,000 miles apart! All because a new Arctic air passage shortens the present route by 1,600 miles, via New York and the North Atlantic. How different a world nowadays! Remember how we used to hover over a geography book and dream a magic carpet in the mind. I never wearied of the wonders therein. And then I discovered the National Geographic—on my! When our boys were too young to read but enjoyed pictures, of course, I found a real bargain in old issues of the Geographic, about 60 of them, and I sat me down and cross-indexed the lot. It was time well-spent, too. I numbered all the issues, some a bit battered as to covers, and from then on, the boys could find anything they wanted by a number on the back.

Was it "horses"? I had only to dry my hands out of the dishwasher and glance at a card under it, and give the youngster the number. "Horse!" It took not a minute! As they progressed through school the issues helped them along. (A friend gave them the current "membership" for many years.) Teachers said "thank you" more than once for helpful aids as pictures were taken to school and shared on the —forget what it's called. Would throw a postcard

Roseburg Youth Sent To Korea As Lineman

WITH THE 1 CORPS IN KOREA — Pvt. Walter H. Ruddick, Roseburg, now is serving with the 31st Signal Battalion in Korea. He is the son of Walter H. Ruddick, 4530 Ridemour St., Roseburg. Private Ruddick, who entered the Army last March, has been assigned as a pole lineman to the 51st Signal Battalion.

The Fork in the Road



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WASHINGTON—On July 29, 1948, during his campaign for the governorship of Illinois, Adlai Stevenson, who is pledged to clean up the mess in Washington, including the overload on the public payroll, stated:

"I will reduce the (state) payroll and save money for the reduction of taxes."

As of today there are over 45,000 employees in the state of Illinois, 3,000 more than at any time in history.

On September 27, 1949, the now-Democratic presidential nominee declared:

"I will hire public servants and not political workers."

Ten inspectors of the Illinois State Department of Agriculture division of foods and dairies are Democratic precinct committeemen; one is a Democratic county chairman.

Six additional precinct committee-inspectors were fired when it was discovered, two years after Stevenson was warned of the scandal, that they were involved in the sale of horsemeat in the state. One was fired when it was discovered he had a criminal record in Michigan.

The chairman of the advisory board of the Illinois department of conservation, appointed by Stevenson, is a Democratic precinct committeeman and secretary of the Piatt County Democratic Committee.

Inspectors Were Committeemen

Eight inspectors of the same state agency are Democratic precinct or county chairmen.

Sixty-five Democratic precinct committeemen or county chairmen are employed in the same agency as investigators.

There are 59 maintenance supervisors in the Illinois State Highway Maintenance Department. Thirty-three of these maintenance supervisors are Democratic precinct committeemen; two are Democratic county chairmen and one is secretary to a Democratic county committee in Cook County.

The state mine inspector at large, of the State Bureau of Mines and Minerals, is a Democratic precinct committeeman; so is the state mine inspector for metal mines; so is the state mine rescue station superintendent.

Out of 19 inspectors of the division of oil and gas, 12 are Democratic precinct committeemen. Out of three inspectors at large, two are Democratic Party officials.

There is one field supervisor in the Illinois division of oil and gas. He is a Democratic precinct committeeman. Two members of the state mining board are Democratic precinct committeemen, out of four members.

It was Stevenson, not me, remember, who said he would employ "public servants, not political workers."

Violates Hatch Act

The Hatch Act prohibits political activity by anyone employed by the state government who receives his pay in whole or part from federal funds or grants.

Most of the Illinois state bureaus mentioned above receive federal funds in one form or another.

The governor of Illinois has painted himself as a great foe of slot machines and gambling. He is also against corruption, sin and public thievery in general. He promises to clean up Illinois gambling.

Sixteen months after he took office there were at least 20,000 slot machines operating openly in the state. Some have been seized, but public gambling resorts still flourish, where roulette and dice tables are available, along with the "one-armed bandits."

The Democratic presidential nominee is touted as a high-grade intellect whose devotion to public service moves him to parcel out "Christmas bonuses" to men "who

the world. We accepted gratefully the help of the French. It is possible that we wouldn't have been able to win without their help.

BUT—

We were realistically aware that France wasn't helping us just out of the kindness of her heart. We knew that France was using us to help WEAKEN BRITAIN—just as we are using the South Koreans to help stem the red tide of communism.

And—

We fought with ALL of our strength for our own independence, knowing that if we let the French carry the heat and the burden of the war, with us playing only a minor part, we'd come out of it merely as a FRENCH colony instead of an English colony. We wanted no part of that. We wanted to run our own show.

I imagine the South Koreans feel now as we felt about our Revolutionary War. They want to run THEIR own show. And they must know they CAN'T run their own show unless they get strong enough to WIN their independence now and DEFEND it afterward.

Opium Worth \$1 Million Seized On Oil Tanker

PHILADELPHIA (AP)—U.S. Custom agents swarmed aboard the British oil tanker Silverdale when she docked here yesterday and confiscated 111 pounds of opium—valued at more than one million dollars on the narcotics black market.

Michael J. Bradley, collector of the Port of Philadelphia, who led the raid, said two Chinese crewmen were arrested and charged with attempting to smuggle and possession of narcotics. Two other crew members, also Chinese, are being held for questioning, Bradley said.

Bradley's men were alerted by a radio message from the Silverdale on Saturday and were stationed on the pier when the ship docked.

Hunter Wants To Know What Deer Looks Like

SALIDA, Colo. (AP)—A service station attendant reported a hunter came in and asked where he could find a deer head on someone's trophy wall.

He said he wanted to know what he was shooting at when he went out into the field.

Shortly afterward, a white-face steer was found in a field a short distance from town with one eye shot out.

Tele-fun by Warren Goodrich

"Hurry and give me Louie's correct number. And stop worrying—it doesn't mean a thing that it's listed Crab, Louie." ... Be sure to look up telephone numbers you're not sure of before you call. You'll save time!... Pacific Telephone.

File, file, Harry! It can't EVER be "cheap politics" to suggest that a country whose liberties are being spilled the blood of our own boys to help protect should fight with its FULL STRENGTH FOR ITS OWN LIBERTY.

That's just plain common sense.

By the way, here is what Ike actually said at Champaign: "The South Korean battle line should be manned primarily by South Koreans. We must intensify our programs of TRAINING the South Koreans. But so far as United Nations and America have to stay in that area our purpose should be to get our forces back into reserves and at least limit our losses."

If you have a son (or a husband) in Korea, do you see anything wrong with that suggestion?

Here's a page from the history books: When we were fighting the British for our independence, Britain and France were FIGHTING EACH OTHER for the mastery of

Wife Of Doctor Authors 'Expose' Of Profession

SCARSDALE, N.Y. (AP)—When your wife (or husband) writes a book, the results can be embarrassing.

Today's victim is Dr. Manuel J. Barkins. His spouse, Evelyn, a lawyer and mother of five children, has written another book—her fourth.

This one is entitled "Are These Our Doctors?" and will be published Monday. Its advance publicity bills it as "an expose and debunkment of the medical profession."

Dr. and Mrs. Barkins say the medical profession has reacted violently, even before reading the book. There have been "nasty" telephone calls and the whole thing is "very embarrassing."

The doctor, fearing censure by the American Medical Association, has written the A. M. A. saying he does not approve of the book and doesn't want to be held responsible for it.

"All I want to do is get off the line, off the hook," he lamented in a statement to the publishers. "I've received so much criticism I just want to make my position clear and get out of the picture."

He said, however, in his letter to the A. M. A. that he was not apologizing for his wife's creative effort, adding:

"No husband anywhere has either the legal or moral right to censure or suppress his wife's independent thinking."

Actress Bette Davis Collapses During Play

DETROIT (AP)—Actress Bette Davis collapsed last night on the stage of the Schubert Theater here during the premiere performance of the new musical revue "Two's Company."

The well-known film star was carried off the stage, but returned a few minutes later to finish the show.

"You can't say I didn't fall for you," she told an applauding first-night audience.

Physicians said overwork in preparing for the revue was responsible for the actress' collapse. Miss Davis' stage role is her first in several years.

Bandits Raid Swanky Party; Loot \$100,000

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP)—The FBI has offered to help local police track down the bandits who made off with an estimated \$100,000 in cash, furs and jewels at a swanky dinner party Saturday night.

Three masked bandits, dressed alike and wearing gloves, entered the home of Francis B. Warfield, in the fashionable Belle Meade section, lined 30 guests and five Negro servants against the wall at gun point, then stripped them of cash and jewels and took furs wraps from upstairs rooms.

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YMCA Indian Guides' Officers Are Elected

Officers for the coming year in the YMCA Indian Guides were elected Friday night, Y secretary Merlyn Donaldson reports.

They are John Wilson, big chief; Dave Wilson, little chief; Lawrence Wilmer, tom tom beater; Stewart Stephens, wampum bearer; Harry Hill, tally keeper; and Raymond Laney, Indian runner.

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AUCTION SALE HOMES

OCTOBER 21, 1952

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The former Richard W. Reynolds Residence at 1025 Military

The former M. M. Dilley Residence at 1057 Military

ALL BUILDINGS to be sold separately. BUILDINGS must be moved from present location within 30 days of date of acceptance of bid.

ANY FINANCING MUST BE ARRANGED BY YOU WITH THE FINANCE COMPANY OF YOUR CHOICE. IF YOU ARE CONTEMPLATING MOVING A BUILDING, CONSULT WITH OUR MOVER PRIOR TO SALE AND ASCERTAIN IF A PERMIT CAN BE HAD FOR THE ROUTE CONTEMPORARY.

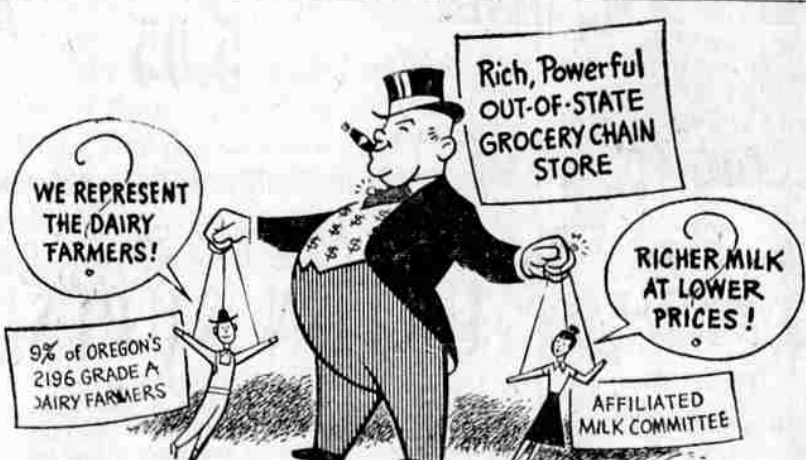
TERMS OF SALE ARE: The above building to be sold to the highest bidder at public auction but subject to approval of the Oregon State Highway Commission with the right reserved to reject any or all bids. 50 per cent of bid price must accompany the successful bid with remaining 50 per cent to be paid within ten days of acceptance of bid by the Highway Commission

SALE DATE for the homes listed: 3:00 P.M. Tuesday, October 21, 1952 at the Charlot Residence, 1113 Harvard.

For information contact Don Norlin — Phone 3-6666 Roseburg or C. W. Parker — Phone 4-2171, Ext. 717, State Highway Building, Salem.

Auctioneer: Claude M. Kilgore Salem, Oregon

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LET'S GET 2 FACTS STRAIGHT

1 The out-of-state grocery chain, through the Affiliated Milk Committee, promises "rich milk at lower prices." The FACT is that the milk they sell in uncontrolled markets is neither richer nor cheaper than ours! They say it but they don't do it!

2 They also infer that Oregon's dairy farmers want the so-called "protection" of their tricky price control initiative. THE FACT IS—over 80% of Oregon's grade "A" dairy farmers are fighting to keep our present FAIR law and protect steady supply of sanitary milk.

Vote 333XNO

Nobody Can Deny This: Grade "A" milk on most Oregon tables costs LESS than the national average.

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